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BILL JONES, Secretary of State

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

## ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is Preparing People For Success .

## ARTICLE II

- A. This corporation is a nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law exclusively for charitable purposes.
- B. The specific purpose of this corporation is to mend the gap of the high risk, hard to employ individuals unable to get assistance from the existing government programs. Such aspects are a onetime gift of financial assistance, temporary and or permanent housing—counseling services, support services, on-the-job training, education, and motivational workshops.

## ARTICLE III

The name and address in the State of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

Name: Shawn Vaughan  
Address: 417 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street  
City: Marysville State: California Zip: 95901


## ARTICLE IV

- A. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- B. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any

political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

## ARTICLE V

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3), Internal Revenue Code.

  
Shawn Vaughan, Incorporator



# State of California



## SECRETARY OF STATE

I, *BILL JONES*, Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

That the attached transcript of 2 page(s) has been compared with the record on file in this office, of which it purports to be a copy, and that it is full, true and correct.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF*, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of

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